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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 09/825,098 Confirmation No. 4449

Applicant: John A. FOEGELLE, et al.

For: Apparatus and Method to Enhance a One-Wire Bus

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Commissioner for Patents

P. O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

*Introductory Comments*

This paper is submitted in timely response to the final Official action mailed October 20, 2005. A Petition for Extension of Time for one (1) month is enclosed. However, if any additional fee is required by virtue of the filing of this paper, please also consider this a general authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 06-0540 for the same.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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**CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a)**

I hereby certify that, on the date shown below, this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 with sufficient postage as first class mail.

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